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Mr. William F. Caton Acting Secretary Federal Communications Commission 1919 M Street, N.W. Room 222 Washington, D.C. 20554

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Re:

In the Matter of Amendment of Section

73.202(b) Table of Allotments FM

Broadcast Stations

Browns Well Broadcasting

Salome, Arizona

MM Docket No.:

Dear Mr. Caton:

Transmitted herewith on behalf of Browns Well Broadcasting are an original and four (4) copies of a "Petition for Rulemaking" as directed to the Allocations Branch.

Should any additional information be required, please contact this office.

Very truly yours,

Henry E. Crawford

Counsel for

Browns Well Broadcasting

cc: The Allocations Branch

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Amendment of Section 73.202(b) Table of Allotments FM Broadcast Stations Salome, Arizona) RM No
To: The Allocations Branch Policy and Rules Division	

PETITION FOR RULEMAKING

Mass Media Bureau

Browns Well Broadcasting ("Browns Well"), by counsel, hereby petitions the Federal Communications Commission for the initiation of a rulemaking proceeding to amend the FM Table of Allotments, Section 73.202 of the Commission's Rules, to assign FM Channel 241A to the community of Salome, Arizona, as follows:

City	DPANAME	Proposed
Salome, Arizona	None	241A

1. As indicated in the attached Engineering Statement (attached hereto as Exhibit 1), Channel 241A can be assigned to Salome in complete compliance with the Commission's distance separation requirements as contained 47 CFR §73.207. Additionally, the Commission's city coverage service requirements are satisfied and there is a wide area available for placing an appropriate transmitter.

- 2. Salome is a city located in La Paz county, Arizona. According to the 1995 Rand McNally Atlas, Salome has a population of 950 persons. Salome is located along Route 60 approximately 45 miles from Wickenburg. It has an airport and a sheriff's office. Therefore, Salome is a fully qualified "community" for purposes of allocating the channel. *Mighty-Mac B/casting Co.*, 101 F.C.C.2d 303, 58 RR 2d 599 (Rev. Bd., 1985) (community with population of 750 persons and a local post of the state police was held to be a "community" within the meaning of Section 307(b) of the Communications Act).
- 3. At present, the community is not receiving community service from any aural service. Therefore, the public interest will be served by the assignment of Channel 241A to Salome, Arizona.
- 4. If the Commission assigns Channel 241A to Salome, Arizona, Browns Well will apply for a construction permit and will construct a new facility upon award of that permit.

WHEREFORE, in accordance with the above, Browns Well Broadcasting respectfully requests that Channel 241A be assigned to Salome, Arizona.

September 25, 1996

Respectfully Submitted,
Browns Well Broadcasting

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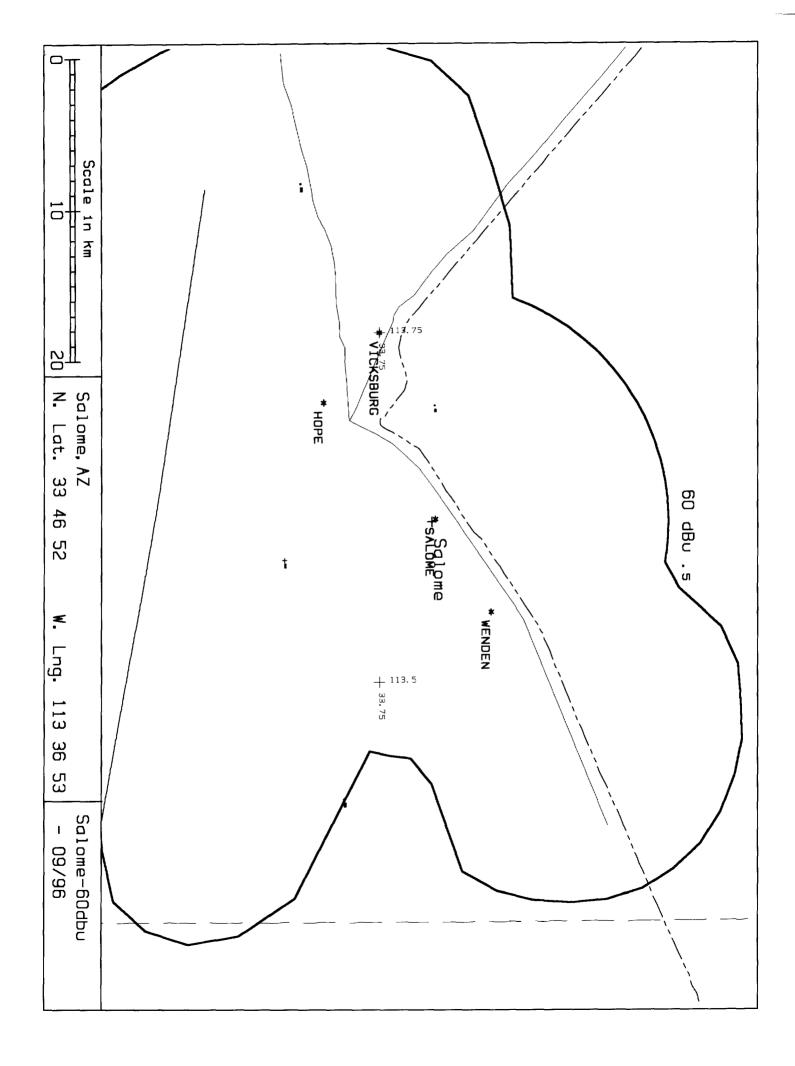
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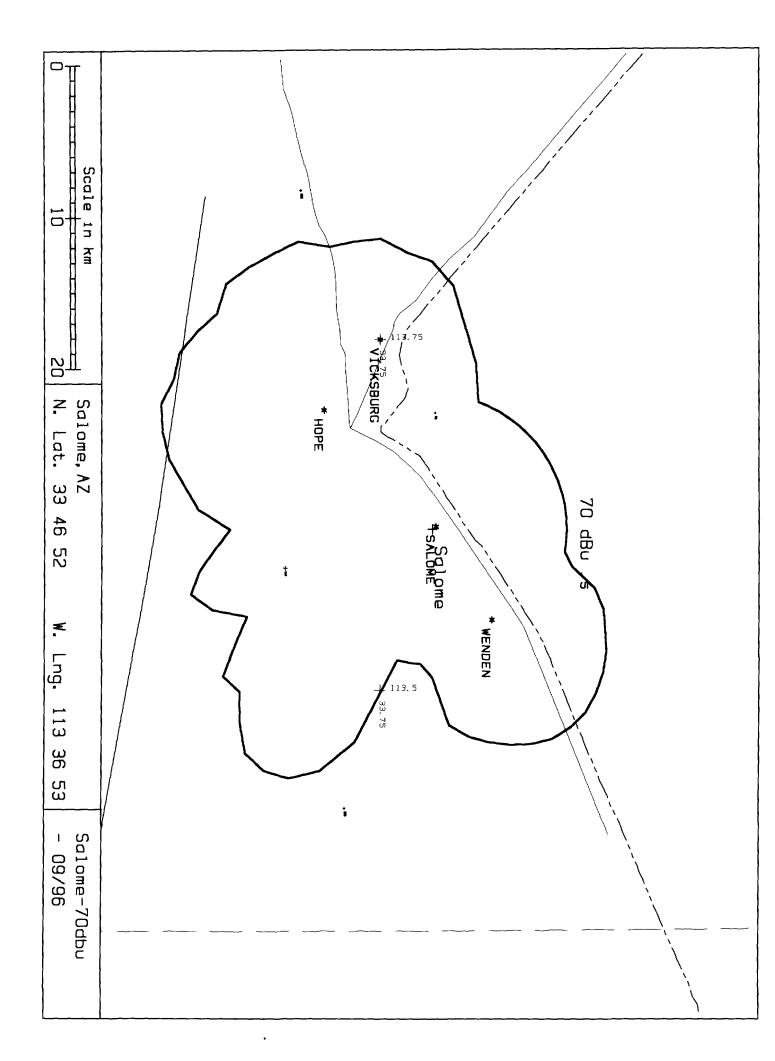
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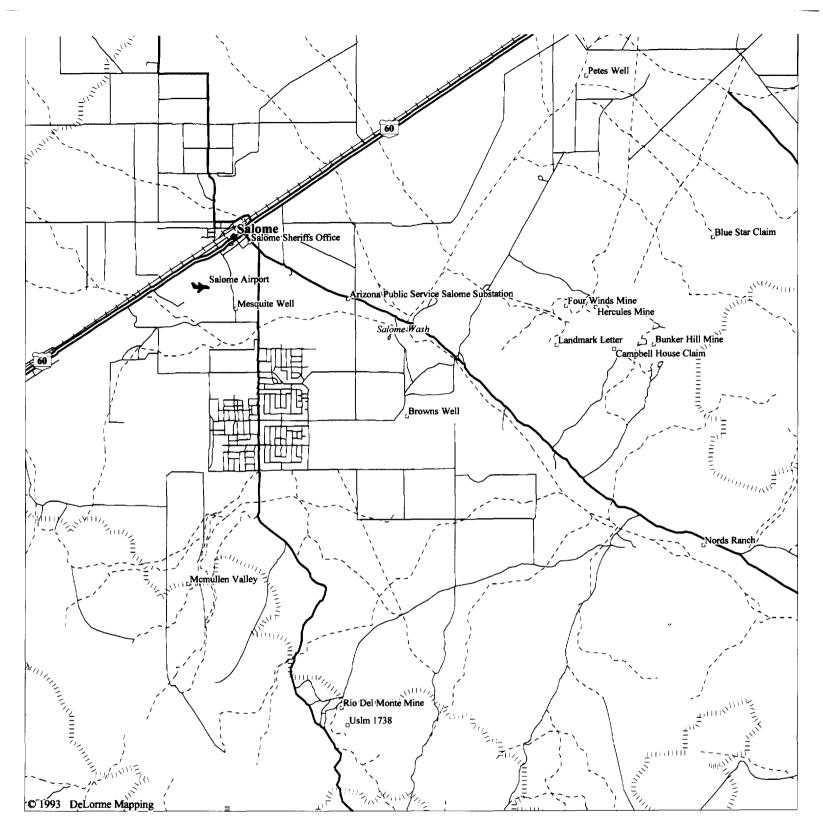
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DISPLAY DATES

Call		Channel	Location		Dist	Azi	FCC	Margin
KSIQ	LI	241B	Brawley	CA	198.14	242.8	178.0	20.14
KBBC	LI	240A	Lake Havasu City	ΑZ	104.22	319.8	72.0	32.22
KZGL	LI	240C1	Cottonwood	AZ	170.74	53.4	133.0	37.74
AP244	ΑP	244C2	Lake Havasu City	ΑZ	96.00	324.8	55.0	41.00
AP244	ΑP	244C2	Lake Havasu City	AZ	96.00	324.8	55.0	41.00
AP244	ΑP	244C2	Lake Havasu City	ΑZ	100.77	328.3	55.0	45.77
AP244	ΑP	244C2	Lake Havasu City	ΑZ	100.77	328.3	55.0	45.77
AP244	ΑP	244C2	Lake Havasu City	AZ	100.77	328.3	55.0	45.77
ALOPEN	${f AL}$	244C2	Lake Havasu City	AZ	101.63	320.4	55.0	46.63







LEGEND

- □ Geo Feature
- ♠ Town, Small City

▲ Hill

US Highway

Airfield

Population Center

____ Street, Road ____ Major Street/Road

--- Variable Trails

US Highway

+++ Railroad

--- Intermittent River

Airfield
Contours

Scale 1:62,500 (at center)

Miles

2 KM

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Henry E. Crawford, do hereby certify that copies of the foregoing Petition for Rulemaking have been served by United States mail, postage prepaid this 25th day of September, 1996 upon the following:

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